

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the paragraph on page 5, lines 6 to 24, with the following amended paragraph:

Further advantages, features and details of the invention are found in the following description of preferred design examples and on the basis of the drawings. ~~[[;]] the~~ In the drawings ~~show~~:

- Fig. 1 is the top view of the front of a the first packaging bag;
- Fig. 2 is a section through the packaging bag of Fig. 1 along line 1-1;
- Fig. 3 is the section of Fig. 2 with two partially detached cover films;
- Fig. 4 is an enlarged detail of Fig. 3;
- Fig. 5 is a perspective view of the packaging bag of Fig. 1 with two partially detached cover films;
- Fig. 6 is a longitudinal section through a first arrangement of film webs for the manufacture of the first packaging bags;
- Fig. 7 is a top view of the packaging bag formed by bonding the packaging film webs of Fig. 6;
- Fig. 8 is a longitudinal section through a second arrangement of film webs for the manufacture of the second packaging bags;
- Fig. 9 is the top view of the bonded film webs of Figs. 8;
- Fig. 10 is the top view of the packaging bag formed by folding the bonded film webs from Fig. 9; ~~[[.]]~~
- Fig. 11 is the top view of the front of the second packaging bag;
- Fig. 12 is the a section through the packaging bag of Fig. 11 along line 11-11;

- Fig. 13 is the section of Fig. 12 with one partially detached cover film;
- Fig. 14 is an enlarged detail of Fig. 13; and
- Fig. 15 is a perspective view of the packaging bag of Fig. 11 with one partially detached cover film.

Please replace the paragraph on page 5, lines 26 to 32, with the following amended paragraph:

A first packaging bag 10 shown in Fig. Figs. 1 and 2, with a square shape and an edge length of, e.g., 70 mm, has a front wall 12 made of a first packaging film 16a and a rear wall 14 made of a second packaging film 16b. The front wall 12 and the rear wall 14 have a sealable internal coating 26a,b and are bonded together along a peripheral edge 18 by a seal and border a bag interior 30 with contents 32 in the form of tablets.

Please insert the following new paragraph on page 6, line 21:

A packaging bag 10 shown in Figs. 11 and 12, with a square shape and an edge length of, e.g., 70 mm, has a front wall 12 made of a first packaging film 16a and a rear wall 14 made of a second packaging film 16b. The front wall 12 and the rear wall 14 have a sealable internal coating 26a,b and are bonded together along a peripheral edge 18 by a seal and border a bag interior 30 with contents 32 in the form of tablets.

The front wall 12 of the packaging bag 10 is bonded to a cover film 20a by means of a peelable adhesive layer 28a. With the exception of a pull tab 22a located in an edge area, the cover film 20a bond by way of the peelable adhesive layer 28a over its entire area to the packaging film 16a. At the end of the

packaging bag remote from the pull tab 22a, the cover films 20a is permanently bonded to the underlying packaging film 16a by way of an edge strip 24a made of a permanent adhesive. As shown in Figs. 13 and 14, by pulling on the pull tabs 22a the cover film 20a can be released from the front wall 12 or the rear wall 14 of the packaging bag 10 up to the edge strip 24a without detaching it from the bag.

As can be seen from Fig. 15 in particular, when the cover film 20a is pulled away from the front wall 12 the packaging bag 10, a total of four pages are created, bound in the manner of a book – namely, the front and back of the first cover film 20a, the outside of the front wall 12 and the outside of the rear wall 14 of the packaging bag 10. Each of these pages can be printed.